



Federal Emergency Management Agency

Anthony Lowe: Federal Insurance and Mitigation Administrator

Anthony S. Lowe was appointed Administrator for the Federal Insurance and Mitigation Administration by President Bush in March 2002. In that role, Mr. Lowe is responsible for overseeing the National Flood Insurance Program, the agency's Hazard Grant Mitigation Program and all initiatives aimed at eliminating or reducing the risk this nation's communities face from natural disasters.

Before assuming this post, Mr. Lowe was the senior legislative counsel for the U.S. Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Antitrust, Competition and Business Rights. Previously, he was the deputy prosecutor with the King County Prosecutor's Office in Seattle, Wash. He was also a commissioner on the city of Redmond's planning commission and served, in 1996, as the Washington state insurance commissioner.

Earlier in his career, Mr. Lowe was associate director at the International Center for Economic Growth and International Center for Self-Governance programs of the Institute of Contemporary Studies, in Washington, D.C. From 1988 to 1990, Mr. Lowe served as legislative assistant to U.S. Senator Slade Gorton of Washington state.

A native of King County, Wash., Mr. Lowe holds a bachelor's degree in international political science from University of Washington, a law degree from the University of Santa Clara and a master's degree in divinity from Virginia Union University.

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